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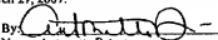
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Title: OPTICAL HEAD DEVICE AND OPTICAL INFORMATION DEVICE
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OPTICAL DISK SERVER

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Dear Commissioner:

With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner. Copies of any foreign patent documents or "Other Documents" are enclosed. A Copy of the Japanese Office Action, mailed February 27, 2007, from the co-pending Japanese application, is transmitted herewith for the examiner's reference.

Please note that the Japanese publication JP2001-209966 and JP2000-260056 were previously cited and that the corresponding English publication was previously cited for JP2000-163787, therefore these references are not cited herein.

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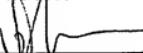
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